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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
**EXPEDITED PROSECUTION - GROUP ART UNIT 1634**

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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3-2-07

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: S. Bausch
NOBUKO YAMAMOTO ET AL.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 1634
Application No.: 10/608,804	)	
	:	Confirmation No. 2559
Filed: June 30, 2003	)	
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For: METHOD FOR EXAMINING	)	
REACTIVITY AND METHOD	:	
FOR DETECTING A COMPLEX	)	February 9, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
**MAIL STOP AF**

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

**A. Introductory Comments**

**I. Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the final Office**

Action dated October 31, 2006 for one (1) month, from January 31, 2007 to February 28, 2007. The fee in the amount of \$120.00 for payment of the extension fee is submitted herewith via Deposit Account 50-3939. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension to Deposit Account 06-1205. Any overpayment should be credited to the Deposit Account charged.